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NEW NAVAL SQUADRON

Ordered to Be Formed For Hampton Roads.

FIVE SHIPS WILL START IT.

There Will Be Withdrawn From the Key West Fleet.

IS SPAIN RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS?

It Is Given Out That the New Order of Things Was Brought About by Purely Strategic Considerations, but Spain Had Suggested It.

Washington, March 18.—The event of the day in official circles was the issue of an order for the formation of a new squadron of naval vessels to be stationed at Hampton Roads.

The squadron in the beginning will consist of five ships, all the best of their types. Two of them, the battleships Massachusetts and Texas, are withdrawn from the present North Atlantic fleet at Key West and Tortugas.

The formation of the new squadron was brought about by purely strategic considerations, although it appears from the nature of the force so far under orders to rendezvous at Hampton Roads that this strategy is of a defensive nature.

In place of the cruiser New York the people of Key West will look upon the grim outlines of the big monitor Puritan, supposedly the most powerful ship in smooth water in the whole world. She will have to assist her on guard the double-turreted monitor Miantonomi and the monitor Amphitrite.

The order in the end will result in the gathering of the pick of the North Atlantic squadron at Hampton Roads. The point is said to be the best strategically on the Atlantic coast. It is almost centrally located and the ships from that point can reach any portion of the coast in short order, which is regarded as desirable, since no one can tell just where a flotilla of torpedo destroyers or a fast cruiser may turn up with hostile intent to attack a town.

Commander Not Selected.

It is announced that the commander of the new squadron has not yet been selected, and pending that selection or the arrival in port of Admiral Scard, it is expected that Captain Higginson, the commander of the battleship Massachusetts, and the senior officer, will hold the command of the squadron.

Remaining at Key West after the departure of the Massachusetts and the Texas, Admiral Scard will still have a fleet of his own in numbers, when the spectacle will be presented of a fleet and a squadron on one station, something not seen since the civil war.

The monitors which it is designed to send to Key West are said to be well fitted for the service. Owing to their light draught of from 15 to 16 feet they will be able to navigate safely the shallow waters of the Florida coast, and will not be obliged, like the Iowa, to lie six miles out at sea from Key West to secure water enough under her keel.

The gunboat Helena reported to the department that she had sailed from Funchal, Madeira, for Key West to join the squadron, and it is now said that it has been definitely determined to bring the battleship Oregon around South America to Key West.

The Spanish minister called at the state department at 3 o'clock and remained with Judge Day something over an hour. Both parties to the conference were extremely reserved at its conclusion. It is understood, however, that it developed no new phases, but was a general talk, in which pacific assurances were exchanged and a hopeful view of the situation expressed.

Would Indignantly Repel It.

The semi-official statement given out at Madrid, advancing the government view that a demand for indemnity based on Spanish responsibility for the Maine explosion would be indignantly repelled by Spain, attracted much interest in official circles.

There has been little doubt for some time that Spain was preparing for the contingency of an adverse report by the American court of inquiry, and to that end was preparing to anticipate and offset it by making clear the government's policy of standing by the report of the Spanish commission.

That body will find that the Maine disaster was due to accident resulting in internal explosion. This was foreshadowed in the advanced utterances of Captain Peral, head of the Spanish commission, who stated publicly several days ago that the theory of external explosion was untenable.

Along with the semi-official statement from Madrid that a demand for indemnity will be indignantly repelled

is the further statement from reliable sources that Spain has made it clear to the authorities here that intervention may lead to war.

The prospects of such intervention appear to be seriously entertained by Spain, and strong efforts have been made to avert it by showing that the condition of the reconcentrados did not warrant the step, and also that it would threaten to end all prospects of further pacific negotiations.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

What an English Admiral Says of the United States.

London, March 18.—Rear Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, in an interview, warmly advocated an Anglo-American alliance as "a move in the direction of peace and calculated to immensely develop trade."

"Such an alliance," he added, "is natural, and I believe the mere fact of its conclusion would deter others from attacking any inadequately defended interests of either country."

"A decade hence, when, if she desires, the United States can have become a first-class naval power, and will perhaps have adopted the policy of free trade, it might not be worth her while to undertake the responsibilities of an alliance with Great Britain."

"When America has built her navy she will be in a position to enforce her demands, which will not take her long now, with her enormous latent resources and mechanical and engineering facilities."

"An Anglo-American alliance would be the most powerful factor in the world for peace and the development of commerce."

Speaking of the possibilities of the United States going to war, Lord Beresford remarked:

"If she ever does, no matter what may happen at the beginning, she must eventually win because of the enthusiasm and intense patriotism of her people."

ANGLO-SAXON ALLIANCE

Is Only a Question of Time, Says the London Chronicle.

London, March 18.—The Daily Chronicle, in an editorial on the growth of the Anglo-American alliance idea, expresses the conviction that it is only a matter of time, but that it would be the greatest mistake to try to rush the movement. It says:

"America does not need more help from us now than at any other time. She is superabundantly capable of meeting any occasion that may arise. She will have our friendly sympathy and neutrality in the Cuban question; and at this moment it is difficult for us to offer more."

"It is quite certain that England would never allow the United States to be crushed by a combination of European powers."

Worked to Perfection.

Perth Amboy, N. J., March 18.—There was another successful trial of the submarine boat Holland in Staten Island sound. The vessel was submerged, and apparently worked to the entire satisfaction of Mr. Holland, who was in charge of her. While the hull was under water all the time, the turret, which is about 18 inches above the deck, remained above the surface, except for a minute or so, when the vessel disappeared entirely and came up again.

The Wreckers at Work.

Havana, March 18.—It is hoped the wreckers will find tampions in the big guns of the Maine; and if this proves the case the guns can be saved. If otherwise, and the marine growth has ruined the softer steel of the cores, the breech mechanism can be used in other guns. Another 1-pounder and two of the three anchors, with their chains, all very valuable, were raised, and the swords of First Lieutenant of Marines Catlin and Lieutenant F. W. Jenkins were recovered.

Five More Monitors Available.

Philadelphia, March 18.—At League Island navy yard it was learned that the board of experts who examined the eight monitors have decided three of them are useless and can not be put in condition for service. The other five can be fitted out for harbor defense. The principal work required on them is to lay new decks and make a few repairs to the machinery.

He Might Be Mistaken.

Havana, March 18.—General Blaneo, at the banquet to the officers of the Vizcaya and the Almirante Oquendo, toasted "The King, the Queen Regent, the Army and the Navy of Spain." He said: "The present generation will never see another banner than that of Spain at the entrance to the gulf of Mexico."

Santiago, March 18.—The Chilean government authorizes denial of the rumor of the sale of the cruiser O'Higgins. No offer for any Chilean vessel will be entertained by the government until pending international questions (between Chile and Peru) are definitely arranged.

SPIRIT OF SEVENTY-SIX

Rises Up to Haunt Us After Many Years of Slumber.

SHALL WE NOW REBUKE IT?

The Cuban Junta Issues a Proclamation Declaring They May Be Extravagant but Can Never Be Conquered.

New York, March 18.—The following proclamation to the people of the United States was issued by T. Estrada Palma at the office of the Cuban Junta:

The frequency with which there has lately appeared in the public press suggestions made by malicious or misinformed individuals that Cuba would accept or could be forced to accept autonomy, or anything short of independence, has impelled us to make a definite and final statement on this subject.

From the first our motto has been "Independence or Death."

We are now more firmly than ever determined to carry out our program.

As we will not even discuss the proposals of autonomy.

After three years of the most sanguinary, barbarous and uncivilized warfare of modern times, carried on by Spain, we are stronger than ever.

It is for us, not for others, to say what will satisfy us.

Our ideals and our national honor we can confide to the keeping of ourselves alone.

I cannot think that the American people have forgotten the principle laid down in their own declaration of independence, nor can I believe that any true American can be found who would advise us to forsake the ideal of republican government for the monarchical, even in its most elaborate form.

There is no way to compel the Cubans to accept autonomy, except by force of arms.

We have fought three years, not against Spain alone, but against the whole world.

Not a helping hand was extended to us; no country gave us equal rights with Spain.

Cargoes Were Seized.

The right to arm our people by purchasing weapons in this country and transporting them to Cuba is admitted, but although engaged in lawful traffic, we had to run the blockade to get from these shores and again run the gauntlet in Cuba.

Our ships and cargoes were seized, subjected to delay, but invariably restored by the slow and costly process of the law.

Nevertheless we never faltered.

We always appreciated the fact that the sympathy of the American people was with us.

Spain has proven impotent to compel us by force to accept autonomy.

She now desires the aid of the United States to compel us to accept.

I cannot believe that the American people would ever lend itself to the most treacherous and blood-stained monarchy of history for such a purpose.

Should such prove to be the case, however, I declare in the name of the Cuban people in arms, that force alone can compel our submission.

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THE FIRST ROUND.

John J. Shepherd Indicted For Alleged Embezzlement.

Cleveland, March 18.—Nine indictments for embezzlement were returned against John J. Shepherd by the grand jury. They charge him with having embezzled about \$150,000 from Frank DeHaas Robison, the property conceded being stocks and bonds of the Fort Wayne Street Railway company. One bill charges an embezzlement of \$50,000. The next largest amount is \$20,000.

Caused an Explosion.

Indianapolis, March 17.—There was a call for the fire department from the Central Indiana Insane hospital, at Mt. Jackson, four miles west, but all danger was suppressed before the call could be answered. John Duffy, chief electrician, en route for the power house, stopped to light his pipe at the gas regulator house, and with the striking of a match there was a tremendous explosion of escaping gas, destroying the building and cutting off the fuel supply of the state institution. Mr. Duffy was badly burned, but despite his injuries he ran to the place from which an alarm could be sounded.

Civil Suit Ordered.

Columbus, O., March 18.—The state commissioner of railroads some time ago ordered certain railroads passing through Toledo to place watchmen at the street crossings. The roads refused to do so unless the street railroads paid part of the salaries of the watchmen. The commissioner appealed to the attorney general for instructions. He advised that the prosecutor of Lucas county be directed to proceed in a civil suit against

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FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1898.

For Kentucky—Threatening weather, probably followed by rain in eastern portions; colder; northeasterly winds.

The Fourth Auditor of the Treasury, Frank H. Morris, has also been turning his tongue loose on the Cuban question. He's very emphatic in saying there will be no war, and adds that the officials in Washington are satisfied Spain had nothing to do with the blowing up of the Maine. If they are, and if there is to be no war, why are they spending millions in war preparations?

Plant Trees.
[Lexington Gazette.]

The season has come to plant trees, ornamental, shade or fruit, anything indeed that will add to shade, comfort and food. Most men think because they do not own land or lots, that it is folly for them to go to the expense and bother of planting trees on other men's land. This is a narrow, selfish and contracted view. Excuse the egotism, but for forty years we have never owned a foot of land or lot and yet in those forty years we have planted thousands of trees on the streets of cities, on highways, around churches, and we can hardly go in any direction that we are not greeted by trees that owe their existence to our planting and we take a positive pleasure in seeing this work of our hands, and far more pleasure in it than if we had spent just so much money in some selfish indulgence that would have perished in the using. A person who has no taste for this kind of esthetic enjoyment is deprived of great pleasure and satisfaction. The experience of a lifetime no longer young is to the fact that nothing in life brings more satisfaction as it approaches its end, than the little time, labor and expense bestowed on the planting of trees.

The Home Paper.
[Exchange.]

It is wonderful how some people do appreciate their home paper—n—t. Whenever they want some free advertising or any courtesies shown them, they always come around promptly to the newspaper office and have little hesitancy in making known their wants. But when they have any more to spend in the printing line, it almost invariably goes to some cheap-john printer away from home. In order to avoid being imposed on by such parties, we have made it a rule to charge for every line of advertising that goes in our paper. This is the only business plan anyway, as our advertising space in our stock of goods in trade and we can't afford to give it away. This doesn't mean that we charge for items referring to the church or other charitable institutions, or for anything in the shape of a news mention, but it does include advertising for any kind of a scheme for making money, and to ask us for our advertising space free of cost is the same as asking the merchant to give away his goods.

Horses Wanted.

We will be at Wells & Huff's stable, Maysville, Ky., Wednesday, March 23, 1898, to buy a car-load of good saddle and driving horses. Bring them in in good condition, and get the cash for them.

TURNEY & SMITH, Cynthiana, Ky.

TWENTY-SEVEN years ago the past winter, the New Orleans and St. Louis steamer W. P. Arthur exploded her boilers eighteen miles above Memphis, when more than 350 lives were lost. The Arthur was one of the finest and largest boats of her day, her cabin being a very fairy picture. The river was very high, and was full of ice, and many perished of cold who might not have drowned. John Bowman, the very prince of steamboat clerks, with whom the writer was talking on the boat at New Orleans a short time before she blew up, was among the lost. A daughter of General Robert E. Lee had taken passage on the ill-fated Arthur at New Orleans, but fortunately had gotten off at Memphis on a visit to General N. B. Forrest and his wife. All the boats of that famous line, among them the Pauline Carroll, Ruth, Lady Gay, Mississippi and Missouri, with others equally large and as fine as boats could be built, were either destroyed by explosion or fire.

Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this miraculous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, bronchitis and all throat and lung afflictions are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Trial bottles free at J. James Wood's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

MANY VETOES.

The Governor Has Been Busy Since the Legislature Adjourned—The Bi-cycle Law Killed.

FRANKFORT, KY., March 16.—Governor Bradley has been hard at work all day examining bills, and he evidently has his veto machine in fine working order, as he knocked out almost as many bills as he approved. Among the first that he vetoed was one that will bring sorrow to the hearts of the 6,000 bicyclists in Kentucky, it being the Tracey bill requiring railroads to carry bicycles as baggage. The other bills vetoed to-day are as follows:

House bill 218, providing that an appeal may be taken to the Court of Appeals in habeas corpus cases.

Senate bill 56, requiring that Police Judges in second-class cities shall receive pay for holding examining trials.

Senate resolution 10, providing pay for idiots during the time their committees allowed the five-year inquest period to elapse.

House bill 64, amending Chapter 62, Article 4, Section 12 of the General Statutes, so that the Sheriff may summon bystanders for jury service when the panel is exhausted.

House bill 197, relating to revenue and taxation and a uniform system of valuation.

House bill 191, to legalize elections in certain graded common school districts.

Senate resolution No. 8, providing that Circuit Clerks need not pay back to the State \$5 fees collected in felony cases.

House bill No. 1, known as the "resident agents" bill, which requires all fire insurance policies written in this State to be written by a resident agent.

The Governor vetoed House bill 476 to-day because of a glaring inaccuracy in the title of the bill. The title is "An act to repeal Section 12, Article 1, Chapter 4 General Statutes, which is Section 2,025 Kentucky Statutes, entitled "Guardian and Ward." When looked up the body of the bill proposes to repeal Chapter 4 of the General Statutes, instead of Chapter 4. Chapter 4 relates to deaf and dumb asylum, while Section 2,025 of Kentucky Statutes relates to guardian and ward, so the inconsistency made the veto necessary.

BRONSTON PRISON BILL.

Its Constitutionality to be Tested at Once.
An Agreed Case Made Up.

FRANKFORT, KY., March 16.—Judge W. S. Pryor, Attorney-General Taylor and Judge W. H. Holt, representing the prison officials, and Senator William Goebel, representing the recently elected Penitentiary Commissioners, held a conference this afternoon and decided to file at once an agreed case before Circuit Judge Cantrell as to the constitutionality of the Bronston Prison bill and the subsequent election of the Commissioners under its provisions.

The papers in the case will be prepared at once and argued before Judge Cantrell some time next week. After he passes on it an appeal will be taken to the Court of Appeals and it is probable that the matter will be finally disposed of in thirty days.

The principal point relied on by the old officials is the fact that the bill provides for six-year terms for the Commissioners in face of the constitutional provision limiting such officials to a four-year term.

Senator Bronston, the author of the bill, will be co-counsel with Senator Goebel for the new Commissioners.

Suit will also be filed shortly to test the Goebel Election bill.

END OF LONG LIFE.

Death of the Oldest Sister of the Late Jacob Marsh Last Evening.

Died, last evening about 6 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Jacob Marsh in Charleston Bottom, Aunt Eve Marsh, of old age. Deceased was the eldest sister of the late Jacob Marsh. Her exact age was not known, but she was very close to her one hundredth year, if she had not in fact passed that age. She was the oldest of a large family, and her death leaves but one of the number living.—Mrs. Katherine Wallace, of Ripley.

Deceased had retained her strength and vigor to a remarkable extent up to within the last year or two, since which time she had been gradually declining, but she was able to walk about the house up to within a few weeks of the end. The day before her death she sat up in a chair for some time. She was a native of Pennsylvania, but most of her life was spent in this county.

The funeral will occur to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the residence. Burial in Charleston Bottom Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Old Stone Church and the services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Rapp.

The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.



FIRE insurance—John C. Everett.

An electric light plant will be put in at R'pley.

EASTER dress goods sale at Hoefflich's. Special bargains.

BORN, to Mr. and Mrs. Simon M. Crowell, a daughter.

MR. JOSEPH BROWN, the Third street groceryman, is on the sick list.

FOR mixed paints that are guaranteed, call at Ray's Postoffice drug store.

TRY "The Senate." Best 5 cent cigar in the city. 210 Market street. Open all night.

LIEUT. GOV. WORLINGTON has been taken to his home at Greenup and is still very sick.

ED. ALEXANDER'S cycle policy pay \$50 per week; costs only \$15 for six months in "Aetna Life."

Don't forget sale of the White & Martin business property on Second street Saturday, March 26th. See ad. elsewhere.

GOV. BRADLEY has vetoed the bill giving Police Judges in cities of the second class fees in felony cases in examining trials.

THE debt of Bracken County amounts to \$28,000. It will be bonded, and two of the \$1,000 bonds will be made payable each year, beginning six years hence.

THE Central Union Telephone Company has completed stringing its wires to Ripley. An exchange will soon be completed, when good telephone service to Cincinnati, Columbus and other cities will be in effect.

CARLISLE Mercury: "The will of W. T. Perrine was probated Monday. He bequeaths his entire estate to his daughter Lottie, wife of Mr. Harry Owens, of Maysville, and named Robert Perrine and J. R. Burgess as executors."

BATTERY F., of the Fourth United States Artillery, destined for Fortress Monroe, did not leave Fort Riley, Kan., until yesterday. They were expected to pass here last night and arrangements had been made to get out the cannon and fire a salute on their arrival. If they left Fort Riley on time yesterday they ought to pass here to-night.

JOHN BURNETT, indicted on a charge of conspiracy and fraudulent use of the mail in furthering patent swindles, with C. B. Avey, Alpheus Fay and others, of Louisville and Cincinnati, pleaded guilty in the United States Court at Cincinnati and was sentenced to thirteen months in the penitentiary. Burnett's associates pleaded not guilty and will be tried next week.

THE lecture last night at St. Patrick's Church by Rev. Father Frank Kehoe, of Covington, was well attended and the speaker was given the closest attention. The subject was one that the Irish heart is always interested in and Father Kehoe's many friends here showed their appreciation of the reverend gentleman by giving him a large audience and an attentive hearing.

THERE were eight bids in all this week for furnishing the city with 600 feet of hose for the Sixth ward fire company. The Boston Rubber Company's was the lowest, at 46 cents a foot, but the Committee did not think the hose was of good quality. The bid of Mr. Jacob Miller, representing the Ballard Rubber Company, of New York, was the next lowest, 54 cents a foot, and was accepted. Mr. Miller has furnished the city with hose in the past, and it always came up to contract.

A STRANGER giving the name of W. L. White, and claiming to represent an insurance company of Millersburg, made his appearance in Georgetown, Ky., several days ago and went into the country on soliciting tour. His plan was to collect a part of the money in advance, telling his customers that he would return to Georgetown, write out the policies and send them next day. Several parties from whom he obtained money are now hunting for White. He obtained at least \$100.

Friday's Cash Sale! ▶

You can thank the rain of Friday and Saturday for another chance at the beautiful Organdies advertised then for special sale. We sold a great many, but from weather complaints heard since we know our patrons were all not able to enjoy the unusual opportunity we offered. More of the crisp, lovely stuff have come to replace those sold. Actual pictures on fine, gauze-like muslin, printings like paintings, flowers and leaves that seem to have blown on the surface. Several dozen styles and we know you will agree with us—an opportunity to buy genuine 85c. French Organdy for 25c. is not an every day occurrence.

We call attention to our fetching line of 7c. Dimities. They've been 10c. a yard—were that price yesterday—are probably that price everywhere else to-day. But we found the owner of several hundred yards that needed to sell. Hence the price is only 7c. Twenty colorings, if you count black and white, all the dainty shades including primrose, lilac, canary and a wide range of blues and pinks. The designs are very tasteful. The book of nature has few closer students than the textile artists.

D. HUNT & SON.

THE FRUIT OUTLOOK.

Prospects Splendid For an Abundant Crop the Coming Season—Berries Not So Good.

[H. F. Hillenmeyer in Bourbon News.]

To this date nothing is injured and every chance the most favoring. Last fall was very dry, and as always under these circumstances every fruit and forest tree will bloom profusely, giving the initial condition of full yield.

The apple is the great staple fruit of the farm, and as we have had no crop since '95, there is now no reason why the phenomenal yield of that year may not be repeated this. The stone fruits bear full year after year, but of course, after failure or scant crop, the capability of the trees is increased.

If the present prospect be not blighted by untimely frost, or cold rains at the time of blooming, we may expect abundance and fine quality in peaches, plums and cherries.

Last fall especially favored the grape, and of these we are comparatively certain.

The use of small fruits has wonderfully increased in Kentucky and few country homes but have strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, currants and gooseberries. Now the prospect for these is not good. The blossom of the strawberry is formed in the fall, and a thing conceived and nurtured in poverty and distress has not the inherent vigor of that born of favoring conditions. These plants all showed distress under the glinting heat and draught of last fall, and it was perfectly evident then that save under the most fostering spring conditions the berry crop of '98 would not be as that of '97.

The opinion is confidently ventured that the coming year will be cornucopian in the largest fruits and disappointing in the smaller ones.

Present weather conditions do not favor, and the fruit crop of 1894 was a total loss by reason of the severe frosts beginning on March 25th after three weeks of charming weather, just as this. Should present weather long continue many elements of danger are added, affecting fruits both large and small. In the spring of 1894 peach trees were in full bloom about March 20th and the crop that year was exceptionally fine, but an early spring is rarely advantageous to the fruit crop of Kentucky.

An intimate friend of ex-Speaker Wm. M. Moore, of Harrison County, is authority for the statement that Moore will be a candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture of Kentucky.

SPECIAL DYE STUFFS FOR COTTON.

Diamond Dyes the Only Home Dyes That Come in Special Colors For Cotton and Mixed Goods.

When you want to dye cotton, or materials composed of wool and cotton or cotton and silk, be sure to use the Fast Diamond Dye special colors for cotton and mixed goods.

The use of dyes that claim to color all kinds of materials with the one package will only cause ruin and disappointment. Cotton is a vegetable fibre and requires a special dye entirely different from the dye that is needed to color an animal fibrelke wool. While the imitation dyes that claim to color all kinds of materials with the one package may give fairly satisfactory results on ribbons and small articles, yet for carpet rags and for dress goods or jackets, and in fact any of the usual jobs of dyeing, they simply stain the cotton part and give a streaked or spotted color that will quickly fade out when exposed to light.

Diamond Dyes have sixteen special fast colors for cotton and mixed goods that never fail to give satisfaction. They cost much more to make than the imitation dyes, and hence the dealer has to pay more for them, but the price to the user is just the same as for the cheap dyes that have to make deceptive claims in order to sell their goods.

The meeting at Carlisle Presbyterian Church closed with three additions to the membership.

Mrs. JAMES H. ARTHUR, of Millersburg, who was stricken with paralysis, is improving. Her speech has returned and she now has the use of her hands again, all which is very encouraging news to her many friends.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cent, per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

After all

Is said and done we shall have wasted your time and ours if what we have to sell is not what you want. Perhaps it is time well spent to learn that we make it a study to please you in anything in our line. Yours truly,

◆◆◆THE F. H. TRAXEL COMPANY.

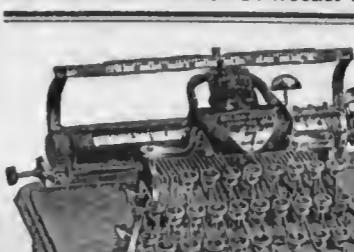
NOTICE

To the Delinquent City Taxpayers of '97.

City Council has ordered that all the taxes of 1897 that are not paid by April 1, 1898, be reported, and that the property will be advertised and sold. Please pay promptly and save yourselves the extra cost.

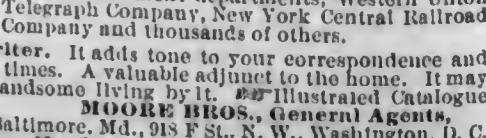
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OFFICE: Keith-Schroeder Harness Company.



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Latest and best. PRICES, \$35 and \$50. Most complete, durable, speedy and quickly mastered. Typewriter made. The only high grade machine at reasonable cost. Guaranteed longest. Only machine automatic word-spacer. In use by U. S. Government Departments, Western Union Telegraph Company, New York Central Railroad Company and thousands of others.

It adds tone to your correspondence and proves a "friend in need." Thousands make a handsome living by it.  Moore Bros., General Agents, 123 E. Fayette St., Baltimore, Md., 918 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C. Mayaville Representatives, Frank Owens Hardware Co., where machine can be seen.

The Bee Hive!

Some Serviceable Silk Suggestions.

Our stock of Silks was never so large, varied and choice as you will find it now. And what's more to your interest, values were never so great with prices so low. You will wonder that we can furnish such fastidious Silks at such modest prices. At 39c. a beautiful Shepherd Plaid, and Pongees in all shades at 29c. A great line of figured silks of a superior quality. A regular 65c. quality Plaid for 49c. At 59c. we have a complete line of China Silks, twenty-four inches wide. These come in all colors.

Ribbon Randoms.

We will have on sale for this week about one thousand yards of SILK RIBBON, in stripes and plaids, of all colors, three and a half inches wide, a regular 15c. quality, our price 10c. Also a complete line of SASH RIBBONS in all the latest shades, four inches wide, and all silk, at 35c. a yard. A double faced, black Satin Ribbon, five and a half inches wide, sold everywhere for 55c., our price 45c. a yard. Besides, all other kinds of Ribbon, both narrow and wide, at particularly low prices.

Laces and Embroideries.

Some recent arrivals are worthy of your immediate inspection. We buy these goods direct from the makers, and there are too many good things to make especial mention of any. Come and be convinced that it is the greatest stock of its kind ever known in this vicinity. And then, too, prices way below others.

ROSENAU BROS.,

PROPRIETORS OF THE BEE HIVE

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

THE NEW OPERA HOUSE.

It Will Be Handsomely Fitted Up, and Will Be a Big Improvement on the Old One.

Maysville's new opera house will be a very handsome improvement on the old one. This will be especially true of the interior arrangements.

The building will have the same frontage as the old one, but will be a little wider in the rear. The total depth of the building will be 122 feet.

There will be a four-foot walk on each side of the building extending back to the stage, allowing a person to reach the stage without passing through the auditorium.

The plans call for an engine room in the front on the west side of the building, and a store room on the east side, with the main entrance to the auditorium between these two rooms. Each of these rooms will be 19 feet, 4 inches wide, while the main entrance will be 15 feet wide. The vestibule will be one step higher than the pavement. Folding doors will admit you to the foyer or lobby, which extends back, the floor gradually rising, about 24 feet to the auditorium. The ticket office will be on the right of the lobby, midway between the folding doors and auditorium.

There will be an entrance from the four-foot walk on the east, another ticket office just inside and a stairway leading to the balcony and gallery, for the colored people only, one half the balcony and gallery being intended for them.

As you reach the auditorium from the lobby, there is to be a stairway on your right, leading up into the balcony, thence to the gallery, by easy flights of steps.

The auditorium will be very handsomely fitted up and very conveniently arranged, with three exits on each side, opening out on to the four-foot walks.

The plans call for two private boxes, one on each side, near the stage. Each will have an entrance from the four-foot walks.

The old stage was 47 feet wide and extended back 36 feet. The new stage will be much larger, as it will be 66 feet, 2 inches wide and extend back 33 feet. There will be a small toilet room in each corner at the back part of the stage. The dressing rooms will be over the private boxes heretofore mentioned.

From the stage floor to the ceiling it will be 64 feet. This affords abundant room for working the scenery by modern methods. The curtains and scenery will

be slipped up and down instead of being rolled up or slid to one side.

In front over the engine room, store room and main entrance will be an "entertainment hall" for dances, lectures, &c. This will be 28 by 41 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet in dimensions, and will be shut off from the auditorium, balcony and gallery by a solid wall. There will be toilet rooms at one end of the hall, and over these there will be a "music gallery" for an orchestra, in cases of dances and other events.

The building will have a very pretty front, with balcony. All in all, it will be a very handsome structure—one which the Washington Fire Company and the rest of our citizens can justly be proud of.

FRESH fish daily at O'Keefe's.

MRS. MARY E. HAMLIN, of Poplar Flat, has been granted a pension.

SEED potatoes at Langdon's. Early Rose, 90c.; Early Ohio, 95c. a bushel.

The "Thespians" were given a "chafing dish party" by Miss Lida Rogers last evening.

THE Ninth district was not represented at the Populist State convention in Louisville this week.

WHY not buy the White & Martin business property on Second street March 26th, and stop rent.

MISS FLORENCE DOWNTON has charge of the trimming department of a millinery store at Winchester.

FOR SALE—One hundred bushels choice English Blue Grass Seed, \$1.00 per bushel. Apply to J. A. Walton, Germantown, Ky.

AT the meeting of Y. M. C. A. directors yesterday it was unanimously decided to return to the old quarters in the Zweigart Building. The repairs will be made at once.

PORTSMOUTH Times: "Ben Diener, who has been clerking for G. W. Haag & Co. for some time, has resigned his position and will go on the road for a millinery firm in Maysville, Ky."

THERE may be some doubt yet as to how the Maine was blown up, but there is no doubt at all as to where you can secure the best jewelry in Maysville. Balsinger's is the place. His stock is unequalled.

THREE boys, Hugh W. Kennedy, Timie Bowen and George Osburne, who ran off from Sardinia, O., were captured yesterday by the Marshal of Dover. The lads were going South and were probably headed for Cuba.

MRS. ELIA WRIGHT, wife of Mr. Joseph Wright, died Wednesday night at the home of the family on Front street, Fifth ward. Her husband and four children survive. The funeral occurred this morning at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. J. S. Sims officiating. The remains were taken to Stone Lick for burial.

River News.
The Pittsburg coal fleet is passing. Rising here and at all points above. The Queen City will pass down at 6 o'clock this evening, and Bonanza, tonight. Up to-night: Lizzie Bay.

On Sunday, March 27th, the first river excursion of the season will be run to Ripley, O., by Captain Lee H. Brooks on the Island Queen. She has been completely overhauled, and is steam heated.

Best of All.

To cleanse the system in a gentle and truly beneficial manner, when the spring-time comes, use the true and perfect remedy, Syrup of Figs. Buy the genuine. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only, and for sale by all druggists at 50 cents per bottle.

New carpets, old prices at Hoeflich's. Buy now and save 10 cents yard.

Regarding That Easter Suit of Yours and Your Boy's.

Why not get it from us?

Not only can we save you money on every purchase, but we have a most charming variety to select from.

To see our complete line of Tailor-made Suits is to see the most perfect creations of foreign and domestic tailoring art.

Let us tell you about several items of our Spring importations.

First—A complete line of L. Adler Bros. & Co. Merchant Tailored Suits and Pants.

Second—A complete line of the Stein Bloch Co. exclusively tailored Suits and Pants.

Third—A complete line of Straus & Bros.' High Art Clothing, and a complete line of Fechheimer, Kiefer & Co.'s Custom-made Clothing.

All of the above mentioned firms are noted as the producers of the very best of Men's goods made.

Our Boys' and Children's Suits.

are made for us (exclusively) by the celebrated houses of Kane, McCaffrey & Co. and H. Kuhn & Sons, New York, few as good, none better.

Our Spring stock of HATS, Shirts, Neckwear and Footwear is simply par excellence.

Our Spring stock of Men's Fine Shoes.

is here. They are from the celebrated manufacturers of Packard & Field, Brockton, Mass., and Smith & Stoughton, Boston. Look in our windows and see the goods and prices.



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Friday and Saturday

AT THE NEW YORK STORE OF
HAYS & CO.

17 pieces extra heavy 10-1 Unbleached Sheetings, (worth 20c. a yd.)...11 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.
50 pieces good Brown Sheetings Cotton, (worth 5c. a yd.).....3c.
5 pieces very fine Plaid Linen, (worth 25c. a yd.).....10c.
3 pieces nice Table Damask, (worth 30c. a yd.).....17c.
25 dozen new style Plaid and Stripe Hose for Children, (worth 35c.).....17c.
17 dozen Ladies' fine Plaid Hose, (worth 40c. a pair).....23c.
50 pairs Lace Curtains, nine feet long, (worth 75c. a pair).....48c.
100 pairs fine soft sole Baby Shoes, all colors, (worth 50c. a pair).....25c.

HAYS & CO.

The New York Store

Ladies, come and look at our new line JUVENILE SUITS, sizes 3 to 8, the prettiest seen in Maysville.

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00. * * * * *
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is a prompt, positive and permanent cure for Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastralgia, Sour Stomach, Belching, Indigestion and all stomach and digestive disorders. One-quarter gross FREE on above date to adult callers to introduce.

DR. HUGGINS' thirty-six Special Table Remedies, a warranted cure for each offence, 25c. at druggists everywhere. Medical advice free.

FOR SALE—A good barber chair, pride of the West, call at 227 West Market.

FOR SALE—Blanks for Justice of the Peace and Constable, at BULLETIN OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A pair of scales, suitable for a grocer. Will sell cheap. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—A limited amount of White Burley Tobacco Seed, grown by the undersigned in 1897 from seed grown in 1872. This tobacco has all the characteristics of the original white tobacco of thirty years ago, the stalk and stem being white and will color well on heavy soil.

Price 50 cents per ounce and 25 cents per half ounce. This seed can be obtained only from Thos. J. Chenoweth, druggist, or myself, at Maysville, Ky. JAMES C. OWENS.

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Notice to Tax-payers.

The city taxes for 1894-5 and 6 which remain unpaid have been placed in the hands of the Chief of Police for collection. All persons owing same are hereby notified to settle without delay and avoid the penalty.

M. J. DONOVAN,
Chief of Police, C. M.

The work of repairing the M. E. Church, South, is finished, and it will be reopened next Sunday.

NEW LAWS.

Work of the Late Legislature—Over One Hundred Bills Passed, But Some Have Been Vetoed.

The State has to date forty-three new laws as a result of the labors of the recent session of the Legislature. Seven bills vetoed by the Governor were passed over the veto, and thirty-six became laws either with Executive approval or by lapse of the constitutional period of ten days. On the other bills vetoed the Governor was sustained, viz., the McChord Railroad bill, the Desha bill repealing the substantial parts of the anti-mob law, and the bill allowing the Jailer in second class cities to contract with the city for furnishing stone for street purposes.

The record in detail is as follows:

VETOED BILLS PASSED.

The Goebel Election bill.

Third Congressional Gerrymander bill. Eighth Congressional Gerrymander bill. Third Appellate Gerrymander bill.

Associated Press bill.

A joint resolution for the benefit of the widow of the late Chief Justice Bennett. The Bronston Prison Commission bill.

APPROVED AND LAWS.

Resolution providing for purchase of official manuals for use of General Assembly.

Act changing time of holding Circuit Court in Floyd County.

Act relating to appointment of Police Matrons in cities of first class.

Act changing time of holding Circuit Court in Bell County.

Act providing for grading applicants for license in cities of the first class.

Act amending civil code so as to permit convicts to testify in certain cases.

Act abolishing the office of State Register of Lands.

Act prohibiting County Superintendents, school boards or school trustees from having any interest in building or repairing school houses.

Act raising the minimum amount of appeals to the Court of Appeals from \$100 to \$200.

An act relating to juries, providing for summoning jurors twenty instead of ten days before court.

Act for benefit of Lexington insane asylum (appropriates \$30,000).

Act amending the present law relating to injunctions.

Act creating the office of Custodian of Public Buildings.

Act to allow Sheriff in certain cases to collect district school taxes.

Act repealing the act providing a graded school at Madisonville.

Act compelling operators of mines to pay their employees in lawful coin not later than the 16th day of each month.

Act paying Sheriff and Jailer of Menifee County for money paid out to guards who protected Alonzo Brookshire, of that county, from a mob.

Act changing Wickliffe, Ballard County, from the sixth to the fifth class.

Act providing for enlargement of dining room at State penitentiary.

Act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating beverage in local option districts of the State.

Act requiring the appointment of at least one woman physician in State insane asylums.

Act authorizing second-class cities to acquire parts of turnpike roads lying within their corporate limits.

Act changing time of holding courts in twenty-third Circuit Court district.

Joint resolution authorizing certain parties at Frankfort to institute suit against the State for supplies furnished State guards at encampment in 1891.

Act appropriating \$3,000 for enlarging of penitentiary electric light plant.

Act appropriating \$5,400 for the purchase of fifty-four acres of land lying west of the Lakeland asylum.

Act fixing amount of capital stock to organize a trust company in counties having a population of less than 25,000.

Act to establish the office of Jail Physician in the city of Louisville.

Act to establish a free public library in the city of Louisville.

Act changing Madisonville and Princeton from fifth to fourth-class cities.

Resolution providing for paying the expenses of the Bertram-Powers contest.

Act providing that public roads may be worked by taxation and by hands.

Act appropriating \$500 to mark the graves of Confederate soldiers at Perryville.

Act providing for the operating expenses of the House of Reform.

Act fixing the hundred weight and ton of hemp.

The Governor has approved the following:

An act to allow children of slave marriages to inherit property of their fathers and mothers.

An act to repeal Section 4, Article 29, of the General Statutes, relating to confession of judgment in penal cases.

An act fixing the hundred-weight and ton of hemp, and to prescribe a penalty for the violation thereof.

An act to provide for the expenses of the House of Reform.

An act to appropriate \$500 to mark and

preserve the graves of Confederate soldiers who were slain at Perryville.

An act to amend and re-enact Section 20, of Chapter 47, of the acts of 1894, entitled "An act to amend Chapter 232, of the acts of 1891-92-93."

To provide payment of expenses incurred in the Bertram-Powers contest case.

An act to amend an act approved March 16, 1894, entitled "An act relating to voluntary assignments."

Entitled "Resolution authorizing suit against the State of Kentucky for certain claims against the State."

An act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the government of cities of the first class.'"

Mrs. O. B. Stitt decried to announce that she has secured the services of a thoroughly competent trimmer. She comes from the city with the recommendations of the four leading wholesale houses, and she promises some beautiful displays in trimmed hats and bonnets during the coming season.

A STRANGER giving the name of H. H. Rollin was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable McDowell on charge of holding up and robbing a drunken negro in an alley near the old plow factory at foot of Wall street. He was to have a hearing this morning in Squire Grant's court.

INCREASED CLERK HIRE

Is Not Popular With Congressmen Just at Present.

Washington, March 18.—The whole session of the house was devoted strictly to the postoffice appropriation bill, which was taken up for amendment under the 5-minute rule.

The questions which consumed the major portion of the time related to the allowance for clerk hire at postoffices and to rural free delivery.

The house increased the allowance for rural free delivery from \$150,000 to \$300,000 and defeated the proposition for increased clerk hire.

First Disbursement.

Washington, March 18.—The first disbursement under the recent act of congress appropriating \$50,000,000 for the national defense has been made by the treasury department on an executive order for £30,000, or \$145,995, to go cabled to London to the credit of Sir William M. Armstrong, in part payment for 12 rapid fire guns, including mounts and ammunition. The purchase price, including mounts, etc., is \$21,000 for each gun, or \$252,000 for the 12. In addition to this payment the treasury department will cable Rothschilds at London \$1,689,621, in full payment for the Brazilian cruiser Amazonas and in part payment for the Abrevala.

To Check Canadian Pacific.

San Francisco, March 18.—The trustees of the chamber of commerce have adopted resolutions in favor of the repeal, by congress, of the bonding privileges accorded by the United States to the Canadian Pacific Railway company. In case this privilege is withdrawn the Canadian Pacific will not be able to profitably handle shipments between California and Pacific coast stations and the east and Canada. It will result in a decrease in its Oriental trade via Vancouver and the eastern states and China and Japan.

Windward to Be Repaired.

London, March 18.—The British steamer Windward, which was used by the Jackson-Harmsworth Arctic expedition, and which was presented in December last to Lieutenant R. E. Peary, the American explorer, by Alfred Harmsworth, proprietor of the Daily Mail, starts for New York. Mr. Harmsworth bears the expense of overhauling the Windward and sending her to the United States.

Custom Clerk Arrested.

Galveston, March 18.—P. S. Wren, chief clerk to the collector of customs of the Galveston district, has been arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Dorrough on a charge of embezzlement. Mr. Wren gave bond to appear before the United States court at the October term and was promptly released.

May Visit America.

London, March 18.—The Everton and Celtic football teams belonging to Liverpool and Glasgow, respectively, are considering a visit to America next season, for the purpose of playing a series of exhibition games under the auspices of a syndicate, whose terms are likely to be accepted.

Killed by a Falling Wall.

Chicago, March 18.—John Rice was killed and E. R. Baker fatally injured by a falling wall at the ruins of the Coliseum, the big amusement building, which was located near the World's fair grounds, and which burned to the ground some months ago.

"LET parents not live for their children, but with them." The mother should allow no false modesty to stand in the way of her daughter's knowledge of herself, of her possibilities, of her perils. For over thirty years Dr. Pierce has used his "Favorite Prescription" as a strengthener, a purifier, a regulator. It works directly upon the delicate, distinctly feminine organs, in a natural, soothing way. It searches out the weak spots and builds them up. A woman who would understand herself should send 21 cents to the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., for Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, a book of 1008 pages.

RETAIL MARKET.

Lightning Hot Drops

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What a Funny Name!
Very True, but It Kills All Pain—
Sold Everywhere, Every Day—
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30 years experience enabled me to scientifically treat and effectively cure Cancer and Tumors without the knife. Address Dr. L. H. Gratzig, Norfolk Bldg., 8th and Elm Sts., Cincinnati, Ohio.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For March 17.

New York.

Beef—Family, \$10.00/11.00; extra mess, \$8.00/8.50; packed, \$9.00/10.50. Cut meats—Porked bellies, 53¢/67¢; pickled shoulders, 43¢/50¢; pickled hams, 75¢. Lard—Western stream, \$5.32¢. Pork—Old mess, \$10.75.

Butter—Western, 12¢/20¢; creamery, 13¢/20¢; do factory, 11¢/15¢. Cheese—State, large, \$2.50/3.50¢; small, 9¢/9.50¢; part skins, 4¢/5.50¢; full skins, 2.50¢. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 11¢/12¢; western fresh, 11¢.

Wheat—\$1.043¢. Corn—38¢. Oats—31¢. Rye—58¢/60¢.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Choice, \$4.80/4.90; good, \$4.80/4.90; tidy butchers', \$4.00/4.75; fair, \$4.50/4.50; common, \$3.60/4.10; heifers, \$3.50/4.40; bulls, stags and cows, \$2.00/4.10; fresh cows, \$2.00/3.50.

Hogs—Yorkers, \$4.05/4.10; medium, \$4.10/4.15; fair, \$3.00/3.50; grisslers, \$3.10/3.15; heavy, \$4.05/4.15; rough, \$3.00/3.00; pigs, \$3.80/3.90.

Sheep—Chooch, \$4.52/4.60; good, \$4.70/4.80; fair, \$4.40/4.60; common, \$3.75/4.20; 20 lambs, \$5.65/6.50.

Chicago.

Cattle—Beefers, \$3.80/5.50; cows and heifers, \$2.10/4.45; Western steers, \$3.50/4.75; western, \$3.00/4.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.85/4.65.

Hogs—Ligh., \$7.00/4.05; medium, \$7.00/4.07; heavy, \$4.00/4.05; rough, \$3.75/4.05.

Sheep and lambs—Chooch sheep, \$3.30/4.65; fair, \$4.20/4.40; common, \$3.30/4.10; exports, \$3.00; coarse lambs, \$4.00/5.00.

Wheat—\$1.02. Corn—28¢. Oats—24¢. Rye—48¢/50¢.

RETAIL MARKET.

GREEN COFFEE—per lb. 12¢/15¢.

MOLASSES—new crop, 7¢/gallon. 50¢/60¢.

Golden Syrup—55¢/60¢.

Sorghum, fancy new—\$35.

SUGAR—Brown, 7¢/lb.

Refined, 8¢/lb.

Granulated, 9¢/lb.

Powdered, 10¢/lb.

New Orleans, 7¢/lb.

TEAS—7¢/lb.

COAL OIL—Headlight, 7¢/gallon.

BACON—Breakfast, 10¢/lb.

Ham—10¢/lb.

Shoulders, 10¢/lb.

Chickens—Each, 15¢/20¢.

Eggs—per dozen, 9¢/10¢.

FLOUR—Limestone, 7¢/barrel.

Old Gold, 7¢/barrel.

White, fancy, 7¢/barrel.

Mason County, 7¢/barrel.

Morning Glory, 7¢/barrel.

Roller King, 7¢/barrel.

Magnolia, 7¢/barrel.

Blue Grass, 7¢/barrel.

Graham, 7¢/sack.

Old Gold, 12¢/sack.

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